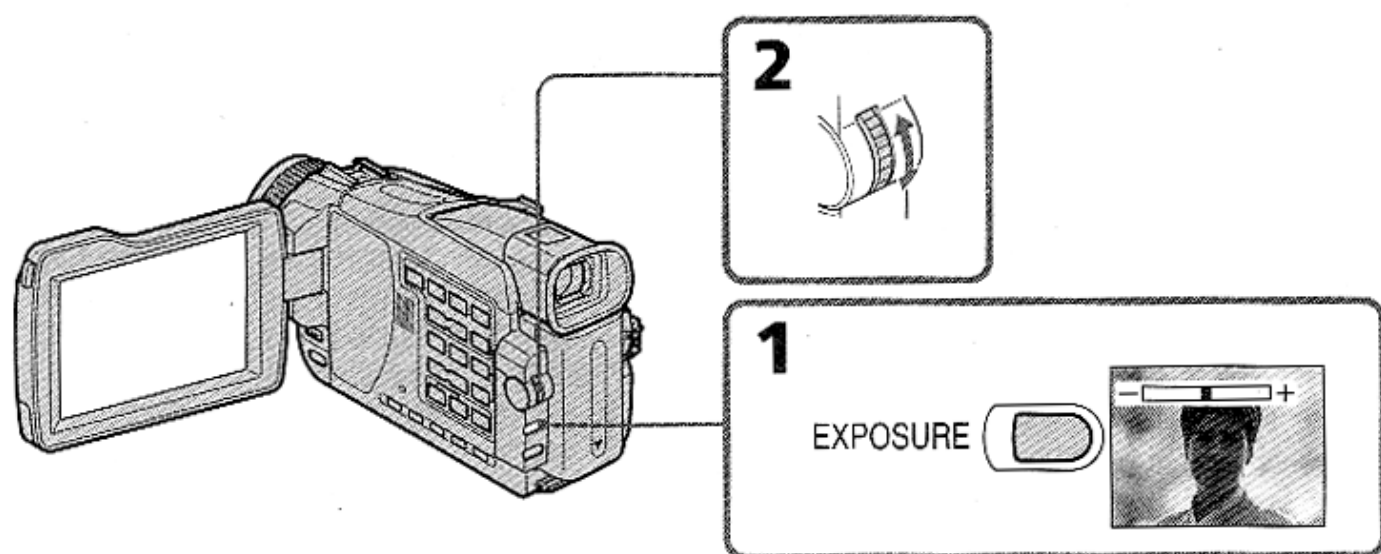


Adjusting the exposure manually

You can manually adjust and set the exposure. Normally exposure is automatically adjusted. Adjust the exposure manually in the following cases:

- When the subject is backlit
- When the subject is too bright against the background
- When recording dark pictures (e.g. night scenes) faithfully

- (1) Set the POWER switch to CAMERA or MEMORY (except DCR-TRV16E), press EXPOSURE. The exposure indicator appears.
- (2) Turn the SEL/PUSH EXEC dial to adjust the brightness.



To return to the automatic exposure mode

Press EXPOSURE again.

When you adjust the exposure manually, the following functions do not work:

- Colour Slow Shutter
- BACK LIGHT

Your camcorder automatically returns to the automatic exposure mode:

- If you change the PROGRAM AE mode.
- If you slide NIGHTSHOT to ON.